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**Re: Case No. 2006-00058 – Momentum Telecom's Petition for Arbitration with
BellSouth Telecommunications – Notice re Start of Negotiations**

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

The purpose of this letter is to advise the Commission that the parties have agreed that the interconnection negotiations between BellSouth and Momentum commenced on February 16, 2006. Accordingly, the arbitration window pursuant to 47 USC § 252(b) opened on June 1, 2006 and closed on June 26, 2006. I am authorized by BellSouth's counsel to file this notification.

Please indicate receipt of this filing by placing your file stamp on the extra copy and return to me via the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Very truly yours,

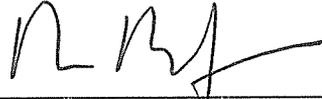
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